(Milwaukee, WI)- Congresswoman Gwen Moore is pleased to announce a scholarship opportunity offered by the Congressional Black Caucus Spouses for students who intend to pursue full-time undergraduate or graduate degrees. Students are eligible to apply if they reside in Wisconsin's Fourth Congressional District because Congresswoman Moore is a member of the Congressional Black Caucus (CBC). The program offers three types of scholarships-one for those pursuing a career in a health-related profession, one for those pursuing a career in the performing arts, and another scholarship for students interested in any area of study.

"A college education is essential in today's competitive job market. Unfortunately, higher education is still inaccessible to many students in my district who cannot afford the cost of tuition," Congresswoman Moore said. "These scholarships have the potential to make a difference-to help give promising students the means to develop their talent and ability, and pave the way to a successful and fulfilling career."

Congresswoman Moore has invited prominent members of Milwaukee's educational institutions to serve on the local selection committee for Wisconsin's Fourth Congressional District. Those interested in applying can obtain applications online by visiting the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation website at www.cbcfinc.org, clicking on the "CBC Spouses" link, and then clicking on the "Scholarships" link.

Wisconsin's Fourth Congressional District, which Congresswoman Moore represents, consists of the City of Milwaukee, St. Francis, Cudahy, South Milwaukee, West Milwaukee, and part of West Allis.

Applications are due by 5:00 pm on Tuesday, May 31, 2005, and can be mailed to Congresswoman Moore's District Office at 219 N. Milwaukee Street, Suite 3A, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53202-5818, Attention: Local Selection Committee. Selections will be made by the committee by June 15, 2005.

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